

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Docket Number (Optional)
16869N-104300US

First named inventor: Daisuke Yoshida, et al.

Application No.: 10/768,757

Art Unit: 2621

Filed: January 30, 2004

Examiner: Anyikire, Chikaodili E.

Title: TRANSCODER AND IMAGING APPARATUS FOR CONVERTING AN ENCODING SYSTEM OF VIDEO SIGNAL

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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee — required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

- ☐ Small entity — fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Other than small entity — fee \$ 1,620.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in
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- ☐ has been filed previously on _____.
- ☒ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee and publication fee (if applicable) of \$ _____.

- ☐ has been paid previously on _____.
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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☐ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$_____ for a small entity or \$_____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. ☒ For fees authorized to be paid hereinabove, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees, any deficiency of fees, and credit of any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 20-1430.
5. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

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☒ **Reply**

☐ **Terminal Disclaimer Form**

☒ **Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay**

☒ **Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE)**

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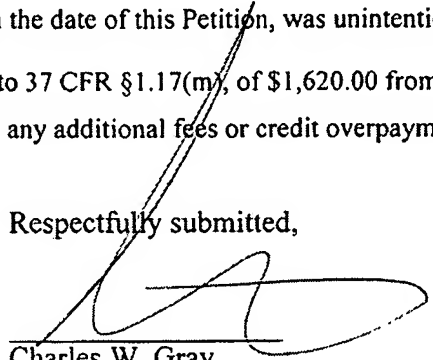
Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions to revive the above-identified application under 37 CFR §1.137(b). The patent was unintentionally abandoned for failure to timely respond to the outstanding *final* Office Action dated August 14, 2008. The entire delay, including the delay from the date of discovery of the abandonment of the application through the date of this Petition, was unintentional.

Please deduct the petition fee, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(m), of \$1,620.00 from Deposit Account No. 20-1430 of the undersigned. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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